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In re application of

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Group 3652

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DEVICE AND METHOD FOR TRANSPORTING  
WAFER-SHAPED ARTICLES

AMENDMENT

Assistant Commissioner for Patents  
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November 2, 2006

Sir:

In response to the Official Action of July 25, 2006,  
please amend the above-identified application as follows:

**Amendments to the Specification** begin on page 2 of this  
paper.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing  
of claims which begins on page 3 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 10 of this paper.

An **Appendix** is attached following the signature page of  
this paper.